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Germany & Austria

Expulsion of Jews from Cologne

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Zuska died; succeeded by PROKOP.

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1912 Dates J-BK

(1360-1424) John ZISKA

Hussite leader. Nobly born at
TROCZNOV in Bohemia. Fought
for the Teutonic knights against
the Poles in the battle of TAUNENBERG
and for the English at Agincourt (1415).
Headed the Protestant Hussites and won
a victory over the emperor SIGISMUND
(1421). Captured Prague and made a
fortress of TABOR mountain whence

his party took the name of TABORITES.
In a series of 12 victories with but
one defeat, the Hussites compelled
Sigismund to offer religious liberty.